

## SOCIETY SLANTS

Miss Gertrude Hart has returned home after spending a lovely vacation in Los Angeles, Chicago, Detroit and other points in the north and west.

Mrs. Frances Greene is visiting her brothers and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. F. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Reed in Detroit, Mich. En route over, Mrs. Greene was joined by Mrs. Gladys Topp in Chicago for a family reunion. Before returning home, Mrs. Greene will visit her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie McGowan.

### Spates-Reddix Nuptials On Gulf Coast

Of recent interest to many Mississippians is the recent marriage of Miss Gwendolyn Elaine Reddix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reddix of Vancleave to Mr. John Wesley Spates, son of Mrs. Bessie Spates of Belzoni.

Numerous guests from all over the state, Alabama and Louisiana witnessed the beautiful rites, solemnized by the Rev. W. R. Nobles in Vancleave's New Light Church, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion with sprigs of ivy, baskets of white gladioli and tall white candelabras.

In an atmosphere vibrant with anticipation, Mrs. Amanda Darden gave forth with the wedding music as the formally attired groom's attendance in single file, entered the church to stand with the groom and his best man. They were Cleophus and Ben Burney, cousins of the bride. Reahopus Estes of Biloxi was the best man.

The bridesmaids were Lillian Reddix, sister of the bride, and Dessie Thomas of Biloxi. They wore ballerina length gowns of pink organza and corsages of white carnations. Alyce T. Teemer of Chicago, sister of the bride was matron of honor. She wore a ballerina length gown of blue chintilly lace with white accessories and a corsage of blue carnations. The flower girl, Brenda Redmon, carried a basket of white and pink carnations. The ring bearer, Barry Reddix, carried the rings on a white satin pillow, edged with lace.

As the traditional wedding march sounded, the bride entered the church on the arm of her father. She was radiant in a ballerina length gown of white chintilly lace, lined with bridal satin and complemented with white accessories. A finger tip veil was attached to her tiara made of seeded pearls. She carried a bouquet of white carnations.

Mrs. Anita Reddix, mother of the bride, wore a honey beige lace dress with pink accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. Pessie Spates, mother of the groom, wore a silk flowered dress with matching accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony, the reception was held in the home of the bride. Guests were served from a beautifully appointed pink and white table in the dining room. Presiding over the table was Mrs. Mary Martin, aunt of the bride.

Many useful and beautiful gifts were received by the couple. After a honeymoon trip to New Orleans, the couple is residing in Biloxi.

The bride is a teacher in the Biloxi public school system, a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority. She graduated from Tougaloo Preparatory School and received her Bachelor of Science degree in education from Jackson State College.

The groom is an instructor in electronics at Keesler Air Force Base. He received his Bachelor of Arts Degree from Tougaloo Southern Christian College, and has had additional training at Keesler Electronics Training Center.

### Silver Creek News

The Lawrence and Jefferson Davis Counties Quarterly Institute met with the Saint Paul M. B. Church August 29-30. Saturday, first day session, we had a glorious time. We had with us the Five Gospel Singers from Rose Hill M. B. Church, and also the Silver Leaf Gospel Singers from Pine Grove M. B. Church.

The Pleasant Grove M. B. Church sent three delegates, Bro. Victor Smith, Miss Ira Jean Armstrong and Miss Tereatha Bryant. We enjoyed the Institute to the highest. Money raised \$145.00. The next meeting of the Institute will be at the Spring Hill M. B. Church on November 29-30. We want to say to everyone you are all welcome to come sing, pray and participate in every way.

The Pleasant Grove M. B. Church had with them on Sunday night, August 29-30, the Wordly Four Gospel Singers from Hattiesburg, Miss. We all had a wonderful time. Money raised \$25.75. Rev. L. C. Pickens, pastor; Miss Tereatha Bryant, reporter.

## TAYLORSVILLE NEWS

Sunday, September 6th was regular Pastoral Day at Shady Oak M. B. Church. Sunday school was opened by the Supt. at 10 o'clock a.m. Song and prayer and the opening exercise by the Supt. and the Sunday School. Subject of the lesson: "Working Against God." Topic: "The Peril of Pride." Obadiah 1:4, 10-15. The text: "Word Seek Good And Not Evil; That Ye May Live And So The Lord, The God of Hosts Shall Be With You As Ye Have Spoken." Amos 5:14.

The teachers taught their classes for 30 minutes. The lesson was greatly enjoyed by all. The lesson was reviewed by the pastor, Rev. I. L. Lenoynon.

We had several visitors present and an enrollment of 168. Report of money \$112.50. Mr. J. V. Posey, Supt., Mr. Albert Posey, Asst. Supt., Miss Ardella Barnes, Sec., and Mrs. Melinda Johnson, Treas.

After adjourning for 15 minutes, we returned back for services. Devotion led by Mr. Sam Hatten. Song and prayer by Mrs. Essie Sullivan and Mrs. Eliza Deham. We then had 15 minutes of song service by the choir, with the pianist, Mrs. Reeve Fizzell. After the ushers took up the Praises offering, Mr. Dud and Rev. A. R. Posey offered prayer. Rev. Lenoynon, our pastor, came before us with an inspiring sermon on "And Jesus Put Forth His Hands And Touched Him Saying 'I Will Be Thou Clean'." Money raised was \$270.25. Rev. I. L. Lenoynon, pastor; Mr. C. Posey, treasurer; and Mr. R. C. Johnson, church clerk.

We are very sorry that Mrs. Leola Barnes is on the sick list. She is a very faithful member and a Sunday school teacher. We all miss her very much, and pray that she will soon recover and be out again.

We are all sorry to know that Mrs. Merandia Sullivan was in the hospital. We pray that she soon recovers and will be up again. She is a faithful member and good home mission sister.

Mr. Hughie Moore and family from Hattiesburg, Miss. visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dixon, on September 7. They picked up supper, and had fish for supper. We enjoyed them very much and hope that they had a safe trip back home.

### PACHUTA NEWS

The City Wide Usher Board of the Pachuta area met with the Mt. Jordan Church, September 6, 1959. This was our annual session. The Board gave the President his second anniversary, which Matron Dukes and Combest were in charge of the anniversary program. The anniversary climaxed when Matron Dukes presented to the president, a token of appreciation for the very fine services rendered for the past two years. Amount of money raised \$66.60. The president expressed his appreciation to the Board and visitors for the making and keeping of the program. The meeting was then turned in the hands of President Clayton, who is president of the Paulding Area. He presided over the meeting, which was a great success. The following ministers were present: Rev. A. P. Price, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, Rev. F. D. Benden, Pachuta, Mississippi, Rev. T. J. Barnett, Barnett, Miss., President Young was also present and outlined the program for the

atha Bryant, reporter.

We have on our sick list: Georgia Taylor, who is a patient in the Jefferson Davis County Hospital at Prentiss, Miss.; Bro. Henry Bryant, Sister Maythelmon Showers, who is doing fine; and Bro. Lynora Bryant, who is also doing fine.

## Louisville News

The Bethel Harmony Sunday School Convention was held at the Oak Grove M. B. Church September 4th and 5th. A nice number of speakers attended this convention. It was very successful. Everything was timely and spiritual. Amount of money raised during the convention \$444.83. Bro. T. B. Clark, President; Sister Maxine Jackson Hickmon, Secretary.

On Sunday, September 6, the Oak Grove M. B. Church Sunday School was opened at 10 a.m. by the Supt., Bro. Sammie Lee Smith, with devotion by the school. The Supt. turned the school in the hands of the teachers. The first Bible class was taught by Bro. Walter Coleman, Lesson General Subject: "Working Against God" Obadiah. Jonah. General Lesson Text: Obadiah. The lesson was enjoyed by all. We hope Bro. Coleman continues to teach us this wonderful lesson. We had lots of members present. After Sunday School we had the Finance Committee report. Amount turned to church treasurer \$30.75. Mr. Sammie Lee Smith, Supt.; Miss Earline Mason, Secretary, and Miss Nettie Glendora Walker, Assistant Secretary.

Mrs. Carrie Lampley and daughter spent last week-end in the home of Mrs. Lampley's sister, Mrs. Pearl Coleman.

Some of the former students who graduated from Noxapater Vocational High School in April and left for college this past week are: Miss Mary Evelyn Prince, Miss Helen Shield, Miss Eddie Bell Killins and Mr. Sylvane McQueen.

Regular service is held at the Oak Grove M. B. Church on the second Sunday in each month. You are cordially invited to come and worship with us. Rev. E. D. Hudson, pastor.

## Kosciusko News

Sunday, September 6 at 2:30 p.m., The young people of the First Baptist Church observed "Youth Day." A very interesting program was rendered. The theme for the occasion was "Youth Climbing The Ladder of Christianity." Everyone present enjoyed this fine program very much.

The Travel Rest M. B. Church worship services on Sunday, September 6, 1959 were well attended. A wonderful sermon was preached by W. M. Johnson, who opened the book of Eph. 2:10 and poured out a burning message of which all enjoyed.

Mr. Sam Bell and family who for the past three years have made their home in Greenwood, Mississippi is now back in their new home on Highway 12 East.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell are back home after spending some time in Michigan visiting relatives and friends.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Johnson had a good, pleasant get-together while their son and other members of their family visited them from Michigan.

Mr. Walter L. Moore, Jr. and his little daughter Shirley Ann Moore of Detroit, Michigan left

Homecoming. Mr. Young is the executive head of the Usher Board. Amount of finance raised \$78.13. Grand total raised \$144.73.

The next meeting of the Usher Board will be held with the Mt. Hebron Church on the First Sunday night, October 4, 1959. We want to extend to each of you, a cordial invitation. Time 6:30 p.m. Mr. C. C. Combest, president, Mrs. Sarah Jordan, Secretary, Mrs. E. L. Graham, Chairman of Prayer Band, Mrs. Carrie Combest and Mrs. V. M. Dukes, Matrons.

## BAY SPRINGS

There will be a battle of music between the Kelly Brothers of Lake Como, Miss. and the Pahiti Choir the fourth Saturday night, September 26, beginning at 7:30 p.m. at the Phalti Baptist Church. All singers in the surrounding areas are invited to take a part in the program. The public is cordially invited. Admission will be free, but please bring your nickels, dimes, quarters and dollars to buy the fish and refreshments that will be sold on the outside.

Friends and relatives of Sister Katie Page are happy to know that she is out of the hospital, and is at home doing fine.

Send all your Bay Springs news to Walter Earl McLaurin.

## TYLERTOWN NEWS

Mrs. Ezilton Allen of Brookhaven, Miss. visited her mother, Mrs. Narcis Ginn Friday of last week.

Miss Diane Dillon returned Saturday, from Vicksburg, Miss., where she has been vacationing this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Langford Dean and children and Mrs. Flora Dean James spent Sunday and Labor Day with relatives here.

Miss Alvinell Walker, Tomazine Foxworth and Mr. Horace Smith left for M.V.C., Ita Bena, Miss. Monday, Sept. 7, where they will resume their studies.

The funeral of Mr. Burley Holmes was held at Mt. Olive M. B. Church, Sunday, Sept. 6. Eulogy by Pastor G. W. Green.

## EDWARDS NEWS

Mrs. Shirley Jean Bowman Morris and her husband, Mr. Johnnie Lee Morris, the daughter of Mrs. Bertha Bowman left for Phoenix, Arizona, last Monday to live with her sister Mrs. Emma McGee.

Mrs. Nannie B. Barker left last Friday, Aug. 4th for Detroit, Mich. to spend two weeks with her children. She was accompanied back by her two grandchildren, Sharon Lyn and Adrienne Barker. After spending three weeks Mr. and Mrs. Barker returned.

The Friendship M. B. Church held its regular first Sunday services. Pastor, C. L. West is on his annual vacation and Rev. U. J. Moffett preached an inspiring sermon at 11 o'clock and the Lord Supper was given. Night services Rev. J. S. Smith carried out his soul. Smith preached out of his soul. We as members are praying the pastor's vacation will be wholesome and enjoyable. Finance report was pleasing.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clinton of Champaign, Ill. was here last weekend visiting his brother, Mr. Clarence Clinton, his cousin, Mrs. Jassie Jordan, other relatives and friends.

Mr. Willie Austin made a flying trip last weekend to see his parents Mr. and Mrs. Herman Austin, his aunt, Mrs. Clara Flagg, other relatives and friends.

Funeral service for Mr. John Williams was held last Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Pleasant Grove M. B. Church. At the absence of the pastor, the Rev. Miles Savannah preached. Burial in the Pleasant Grove Cemetery. He leaves his wife, one brother, a nephew, other relatives and friends. Dilon Funeral Home of Vicksburg, Miss. in charge of the arrangement.

Mr. William Irving of Chicago, Ill. was home last weekend visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Irving. Also at the bedside of his father, who has been sick for some time.

The Home Demonstration Club held its regular meeting last Thursday, Sept. 3, at 3:30 p.m. With nine members present. A very fine topic was discussed, "Better Home Life." Mrs. Rosa L. Gordan, vice president presided. Amount of money \$10.00. Mrs. Nannie B. Barker, Pres., Mrs. Rosa Gordan, Vice Pres., Mrs. Lillie Butler, Sec., Mrs. Ester Grant, Treasurer.

for home after an extended visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Moore of 122 Gregart St.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cottrell are returning home after spending some time visiting their children, Rev. and Mrs. T. R. Brown, Henderson, Ky., also Rev. Walter Brown of Evansville, Ind., Mrs. T. R. Brown is the talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cottrell.

Mrs. Hattie Mae Eubanks of Clarksdale, Miss., spent several days visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Micou, also their son Hugh Lee is here with his parents for the weekend.

She: "Honey, would you cheat on me?"  
He: "Who else?"

## Monticello News

Mrs. Sylvester Brown and her four children from Chicago, Illinois are spending two weeks vacation with her mother, Mrs. Fannie Woods, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Joan Brown.

Mrs. Rosie Lee Dayton, President of the McCullough High School P. T. A. called an Executive Meeting on Sunday, September 6th to make plans for the regular September meeting to be held Tuesday night, September 14. All patrons are urged to attend the regular meetings of the P. T. A.

Improvements are still in progress at Lit's Place. The new arrangements in the store are noticeable. Enlargement of the Barber Shop and the Shoe Shop offers a more complete service. You can always buy The Jackson Advocate at Lit's Place. The Advocate is the South's best Negro newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Martin, Jr., Mrs. Martha Sutton, Mrs. Louise Lewis, Mrs. Jennie V. Thomas, Miss Amanda L. Collins, Miss Carolyn Bridges, Prof. Amos Newsom and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bridges motored to the Sophia Sutton Baptist Mission Center Friday night, September 4th, to participate in a program sponsored by the District Sunday School and the B. T. U. Congress. Certificates were awarded to all who attended the Congress. Miss Amanda L. Collins recited a poem on the program. Mr. Edgar Bridges gave the Inspirational Address. He spoke from the subject: "The Need For An Improved Leadership."

## Silver Creek News

On August 30, 1959 the Pleasant Grove M. B. Church had with them the Wordly Four Gospel singers from Hattiesburg, Mississippi. We had a wonderful time.

Mrs. Georgia Taylor returned home Wednesday, September 2, from the Jefferson Davis county hospital and she is resting fine.

Mr. Jon Henry Bryant is still on the sick list. We are praying for him a speedy recovery. Mrs. Ida Grinstead also is on the sick list.

The weekend visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Jessie B. Bryant, the son and daughter-in-law of Mrs. Ellen Bryant from Gulfport, Miss.

Mrs. Queenester Johnson visited her mother, Mrs. Arliver Smith Sunday, Sept. 6, 1959. Her home is in Jackson, Mississippi. She is preparing for an operation soon. Three (3) of Mrs. Arliver's grandchildren left Sunday going back to enroll in school.

Rev. L. C. Pickens, Pastor. (Miss) Tereatha Bryant, Reporter.

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## Y. W. C. A. NEWS

Back To School Canteens For Junior And Senior High School Students

Music and fun for everyone in the 10th, 11th and 12th grades at the Marino Branch YWCA Wednesday, September 16, 1959, at 7 p.m. Junior High School people and their 6th grade friends will have their Canteen on Wednesday afternoon at 4 p.m.

We have purchased the latest records for your entertainment. Come on out and join the fun.

We are inviting every woman and girl in Jackson to participate in our YWCA Activities this Fall. There will be classes in sewing, typing, shorthand, Bible, leathercraft, cooking, arts and crafts, social dances, creative dances, bridge, tap, Ballet, whist, Piano Music and other activities such as clubs, chorus, basketball and other sports.

### Special YWCA Activities

The Committee on Administration of the Branch YWCA met on September 8 to set some plans for YWCA Activities through the year 1959. Some of the activities are: YWCA Fall Kick Off Tea and Y-Teen Recognition Program Sunday, October 11th from 4 to 6 p.m., World Fellowship Vesper November 8th at 4 p.m., The Hanging of The Greens on Sunday, December 6th, at 4:30 p.m., and Public Affairs Luncheon October 27th, at 12 noon.

### United Givers Meetings

Rev. S. L. Whitney, Chairman, United Givers Drive is asking your

## COLUMBIA NEWS

Misses Venia and Helen Scott of New York spent two weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scott. We all hope that they had a safe trip back to their home.

Mrs. Ruby Snyder Bridges was a weekend visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vander Bridges.

The Sweet Valley Missionary Baptist Church had a very nice success with their Church Rally Sunday. Their ex pastor, Rev. McErvin brought a soul-stirring sermon. Amount of money raised \$95.10.

support in helping to put over a successful Drive this year. The committee will meet on Wednesday, September 16 at 7:30 p.m., at the YWCA and will have its Kick Off Meeting on Tuesday, September 22nd. Will you plan to be present.

Tap, Ballet and Creative Dance Classes Will Start Sept. 12. Classes in Tap, Ballet and Creative Dances for children and teenagers will start Saturday, September 12th at 9:30 a.m. All interested persons are asked to register on the same day by 9:15 a.m.

Whist And Bridge Classes Will Start Sept. 23rd, 5 p.m. A class in Whist and Bridge for adults will start Wednesday, September 23rd at 5 p.m. A class for teenagers will be arranged upon request.

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